

**18278 to 18293—Continued.**

**18285.** ACTINIDIA sp. (?)

From Hwai-jou. (No. 22.)

**18286.** EUONYMUS sp.

From Hwai-jou. "(No. 24.) A very striking *Euonymus* with red leaf tops, resembling *E. bungeanus* but bearing a much larger quantity of fruit." (*Meyer.*)

**18287 to 18289.** (Undetermined.)

From Shan-hai-kwan. (Nos. 52 to 54.). Cuttings of unidentified shrubs.

**18290.** PRUNUS ARMENIACA.

**Apricot.**

From Shan-hai-kwan. "(No. 55.) A wild apricot growing in a ravine near an old temple." (*Meyer.*)

**18291.** SPIRAEA sp. (?)

From Shan-hai-kwan. "(No. 56.) Found growing between the rocks in the mountains near Shan-hai-kwan." (*Meyer.*)

**18292.** AMPELOPSIS sp.

From Chang-li. "(No. 99.) A vine growing on rocky places in the mountains; has deeply lobed leaves and white berries." (*Meyer.*)

**18293.** AMPELOPSIS sp.

From Chang-li. "(No. 100.) A vine resembling *A. vetchii*, but with both entire and three-lobed leaves; assumes beautiful fall colors and though small and apparently tender is well worth trying." (*Meyer.*)

**18294 to 18296.**

From Peradeniya, Ceylon. Received through J. C. Willis, director of Royal Botanic Gardens, February 26, 1906.

**18294.** CROTALARIA sp.

Imported for experimental purposes in connection with cover crops for tea and coffee plantations.

**18295 and 18296.** ARACHIS HYPOGAEA.

**Peanut.**

**18295.** *Mauritius.*

**18296.** (Unnamed.)

**18297 and 18298. IPOMOEA BATATAS.**

**Sweet potato.**

From Kingston, Jamaica, British West Indies. Presented by Dr. William Fawcett, director of Hope Gardens. Received March 29, 1906.

"Tubers of the two varieties of white-skinned potato which thrive best here." (*Fawcett.*)

**18297.** *John Barnett.*

**18298.** *Law.*

**18299. HUMULUS LUPULUS.**

**Hop.**

From North Yakima, Wash. Presented by Mr. H. B. Scudder. Received February, 1906.

*Semsch.* Seeds produced on vine of S. P. I. No. 5787, in 1905. "Probably these seeds were results of pollination with pollen from the male plants of the common Yakima hop. They should be planted for selection of the best seedlings." (*Fairchild.*)

**18300 and 18301. CANNA spp.**

**Canna.**

From Palermo, Sicily. Presented by Prof. Dr. A. Borzi, director of the Botanic Gardens. Received March 30, 1906.

**18300.** CANNA INDICA.

**18301.** CANNA IRIDIFLORA.